PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Dwight H. Warkentin et al.	Examiner:	Unknown
Serial No.	10/680,462	Group Art Unit:	3762
Filing Date:	October 7, 2003	Docket No.:	P-11548.00
Title:	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING EXTRA-SYSTOLIC STIMULATION (ESS) THERAPY USING ISCHEMIA DETECTION		

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant submits this paper in response to the non-final Office Action mailed 22 February 2006 which set a three-month shortened statutory period for reply expiring 22 May 2006. This Response is submitted in advance of the expiration of said period for reply.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.